Richwood

Mr. and Mrs. David Snow and Mr. and Mrs. James Snow and family visited Mrs. E. P. Snow Saturday.

A shower was given in the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Cordell Sat. night for Mrs. Jane Hamlett a large crowd was present and she received a lot of nice gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hamilton spent the week end in Boston, Mass.

Horace L. Martin will leave for Va., Beach this week where he will be stationed after spending some time with his family here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Blazer and Mr. and Mrs. Troy Blazer and son's are visiting Mr. and Mrs. David Martin in Valdosta, Ga.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Martin and son's spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Norcross and son's visited Mr. and Mrs. G. I. Watt Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Fleshman and daughter visited Mr. and Mrs. Willie Pugh Sunday.

Spout Spring

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Carson and baby were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Carson over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Ferguson and Donny are vacationing in the Smokeys and Tenn.

Revival meeting will begin at Spout Spring Baptist Church on the 15th of July. Our guest Evangelist will be the Rev. Herbert Hunting of Wake Forest, N. C.

J. D. Martin and family is vacationing in Florida.

We are sorry to hear Cubby Carter broke his leg in a fall playing ball.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Pillow spent last week-end at the Beach.

Little Debbie Martin observed her 5th birthday last Friday. She received many gifts and had a wonderful time. We wish her many more happy birthdays.

Beckham

Mr. and Mrs. Everette Martin spent the weekend at Virginia Beach

Mrs. Ashby Martin spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Mays.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Story and family of Lynchburg spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Martin.

Miss Faye Martin of Virginia Baptist Hospital school of nursing is spending some time with her parents Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Martin Jr. and Janet.

Mr. Paul Burge and Mrs. Mary Burge visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Burge at Monata Sunday. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cole at Boonesville.

The annual reunion will be held at the house of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Martin on July 15.

Mr. and Mrs. Hermon Moore Dorothy Jane and Dianne of Richmond visited Mr. and Mrs. Hermon Moore Sr., for a short while Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Howlett Drinkard Donald Lee, Miss Eunice Martin, Mr. and Mrs S. G. Martin Mr. and Mrs. Robert Morris Ronnie and Carolyn Jo joined other members of the family for a picnic lunch at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Martin and Pam on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Martin Mrs. Ashby Martin. Mr. and Mrs. Winston Martin Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Tweedy and Michelle Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Burge Jr., Judy and Ricky visited friends at Buchanan Sunday and also went to the zoo on Mill Mountain in Roanoke.

Revival services begin at Trinity Church Sunday through Friday. All are invited to attend these services.

Robert A. Wooten

SPOUT SPRING—Robert Arthur Wooten, 77, a farmer, died at 6:15 p.m. Tuesday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Claude Jennings, after an illness of one year. He was born in Appomattox County, the son of Thomas J. and Betty Inge Wooten. He was a member of the Spout Spring Baptist Church.

Besides his daughter, he is survived by his wife Nora Williamson Wooten, one son, Williamson Wooten of Spout Spring; two sisters, Mrs. Gollie Williamson of Appomattox and Mrs. Tom Brooks of Petersburg; three brothers, Aubrey Wooten of Appomattox, Ellis Wooten of Church Road and Charlie Wooten of Lynchburg; six grandchildren, and eight great grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted Thursday at 2 p.m. at Spout Spring Baptist Church. Burial will be in Liberty Cemetery in Appomattox. Robinson Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Holiday Lake is now open, and having a good season.

President sets pattern for a business growth.

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Rocks

Have a plenty of rain now. It's not very good on the wheat.

Rev. W. H. Elder was sick in bed last week. He was able to preach Sunday.

Aulder Roach is out again after being in the hospital a few days.

A number from here attended the Gibson funeral at Evergreen Friday afternoon.

Sympathy is extended the family.

Melvin Garrett got several fingers burnt while at work last week.

Audrey Dale and Phillips Inge left for 4-H Camp at Holliday Lake today.

Mrs. Jim Frank Ranson had a demonstration party on Tuesday night.

Not very many out for the various organization meeting on Wednesday night. Come on out and help support them.

Mrs. Toby Inge and children and Mrs. Mildred Inge were visiting at Pamplin awhile Friday night with friends.

Mrs. Mary Inge is spending this week at Appomattox in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Holmsey Ingt Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Ranson, Mrs. Rosa Marks and Miss Barbara Sims took Anita Wilcox to her home in Fayettesville, N. C. over the weekend. Mrs. Marks remained with her daughter Mrs. Thurman Wilcox for a visit.

Mrs. Claudie Ranson will spend a few days with her daughter Mrs. C. M. Evans of Spout Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Goin of Hixburg were visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Richardson awhile Sunday night.

Mrs. Kate Dinkins and Mrs. Mildred Inge were visiting Mrs. C. E. Lewis in the Evans Rest Home at Spout Spring awhile Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Richardson and Ronnie were visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Z. V. Harvey at Evergreen Sunday.

Miss Christine Dickerson left Sunday afternoon for Longwood College in Farmville where she will take a two weeks course in music while on her vacation.

COUNTY AGENTS ONLY

Those farmers who will be hiring young helpers these next few months will be interested in this tip on making sure these youngsters don't get hurt while working for you.

Most of you make a special effort to show these young people when they first come to work how to do the jobs safely. And you probably give consideration to their age and size when you assign them jobs. These are fine ways to help them to work, but the real secret in instilling safe work habits in youngsters is to set a good example yourelf. When you make a conscious effort to do your own work safely around these young people your own attitude will rub off on them. They catch your safety attitude unconsciously and, almost without exception, will try to do their own jobs more safely.

Setting your own good example is a simple, yet one of the most effective, safety practices to follow with these youngsters. And besides helping these young workers to work more safely, you'll be doing something constructive for your own safety.

Deaths

Robert T. Morris Sr.

APPOMATTOX—Robert Thomas Morris Sr., 74 a farmer, died Monday afternoon at his home on Rt. 2, Appomattox. He was born in Appomattox County, son of Cleveland J. and Elnora Webb Morris. He was a member of Chestnut Grove Baptist Church in Buckingham County.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Beulah Webb Morris of Appomattox. one son, Robert T. Morris Jr. of Apppmattox; one daughter, Miss Gladys C. Morris of Bethesda, Md; and four brothers, J. A. Morris of Evergreen, Major Morris and Henson Morris, both of Appomattox, and Lacy Morris of Dillwyn.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday afternoon at the Chestnut Grove Baptist Church in Buckingham County by the Rev. Dott Bryan and the Rev. John P. Leitner. Burial was in the church cemetery. Pallbearers were Donald Morris, Claude Morris, Adolphus Morris, Calvin Morris, Earle Morris, Aubrey Morris, Morris Walden and Ralph Repass.

Savings Bonds for Freedom

"Freedom in America involves a profound respect for individual liberty, a strong determination to maintain that liberty, and to bring ourselves and others to a better life within its framework. Many Americans today are sincerely wondering what they can do to defend and preserve our freedom. They wish to contribute to our defense efforts, to our adventures in space, and to strengthening our free institutions and our traditions of liberty. The success of our efforts is based upon a strong and expanding economy. By investing part of his savings in United States Savings Bonds, an individual citizen can contribute to all of these objectives. I would like to take this opportunity to invite every American to purchase an extra share in freedom by purchasing an extra Savings Bond during the Freedom Bond Drive."—John F. Kennedy, The White House, May 1, 1962.

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JAMIE T. GIBSON

Jamie T. Gibson of Evergreen and Washington died in Washington D. C. Monday, June 25th. He was born in Washington, the son of Samuel Archer and Catherine Warriner Gibson. He was a retired painter. He was a member of the Memorial Baptist Church of Washington.

He is survived by his wife, Carrie Warriner Gibson; two sons, William Gibson of the U.S. Army and Charlie Gibson of Washington; six brothers, R. W. Gibson and A. D. Gibson, both of Washington; S. W. Gibson of North Carolina, U. P. Gibson of Falls Church, I. R. Gibson of Riverdale, Md., and Y. A. Gibson of Eevrgreen; two sisters, Mrs. A. M. Moore of Tall Timbers, Md., and Mrs. I. G. Dean of Evergreen, and one grandson, Jimmy Gibson of Washington.

Funeral services were conducted Friday at 3 p.m. at the Evergreen Baptist Church with burial in Evergreen Cemetery.

Active Pall Bearers were Ernest Farrar, Ronald Paulette, Jimmy Evans, Jack Hodge, Clarence Evans, John Farrar.

HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB SCHEDULE

(Week of July 9-13)

Demonstration: Club Choice Federation Program: Plan an attractive Home Entrance

Monday, July 9 — Bethany Club will meet at 1:30 p.m. with Mrs. Donald Dixon.

Thursday, Juuy 12 — Stonewall Club will meet at 2 p.m. at the Community Center. Mrs Dallas Gillespie hostess.

Thursday, July 12 — Clover Hill Club will meet at 7:30 p.m. with Mrs. Thomas Richardson.

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Wheat Rate Changed

According to C. D. Lewis, Chairman of the Appomattox ASC County Committee, the support rate for wheat is higher than last year. The support rate is $2.17 per bushel for Appomattox County No. 1 wheat with certain discounts applicable to other grades and for smutty and garlicky wheat. This compares with -1.98 per bushel last year.

Mr. Lewis said that farmers may store their wheat on the farm or in one of the commercial elevators that have been approved by the Commodity Credit Corporation. The approved elevator to Appomattox County farmers is Buckingham Mills at Buckingham, Va.

Farmers interested in storing their wheat and taking advantage of the support price should contact the local ASCS office for more details on the program.

Rocks

ROCKS July 9, the fourth passed quietly around here.

Mr. and Mrs. James Thackston of ... Point, N. C. arrived here the ... to spend a few days in the home of ... mother, Mrs. Maude Ranson.

The Home Demonstration Club met at Mrs. Rhomy Wilson on Thursday night.

... Shelton, Chuckie Webber and ... Moore also attended the 4-H at Holliday Lake last week.

... Inge entered Va. Baptist ... Thursday for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn McIntosh and ... spent Sunday at Appomattox ... Uncle.

Christine Dickerson who is taking ... music at Longwood College ... week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Dickerson.

A large number attended the ... Union Picnic and Fashion ... at Evergreen Saturday night.

... Almond returned home Saturday after being in a 2 weeks Training in New Jersey.

... Shelton entered Va. Baptist ... last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Aulden Roach and ... spent the week end on Mill ...

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Dickerson and ... took Christine to Farmville ... afternoon to spend this week.

A number from here went to Va. ... Hospital to see Toby Inge ... week end. We wish him ... recovery.

... Ranson entered Va. Baptist ... today. We wish him a speedy ...

... Ladies Bible Class will have ... meeting with Mrs. Clarence ... tonight.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Moore will ... Tuesday to visit his sister in ... W. Va. for a few days.

Autos 1963

... recent article in the Wall Street Journal, it is reported that ... end of the 1963 automobile ... in America wil be towards ... automobiles. This will be the ... time since 1959 that the ... auto industry has felt that ... public desires larger automobiles rather than the economy ...

... 1959 until the present, the ... has been on the small ... and for the U. S. industry ... to compete successfully with the ... car market which was, in ... part, created by the foreign ... imports to this country.

... though the size of the cars will ... very few engineering ... are expected in the new model ... changes will be in the ... wheel base, in grills or side ... overall theme will be basic ... of the automobile's ...

... three leading automobile ... each do not anticipate, at ... time, raising the prices on ... 1963 models. This alone will ... unlike that there will ... increase. So, for 1963, we ... expect a smoother riding automobile, a little bigger automobile, a little more plush, and at ... approximately the same cost.

Postal Ruling

Effective January 1, 1963 the following regulations will govern the mailing of envelopes on and after that date.

Size, Shape and Ratio—Envelopes of standard sizes and shapes are essential to the economical handling of mail, both by machine and manual methods. The following standards apply to envelopes.

A. Envelopes less than 3 inches in width (height) or 4¼ inches in length are non-mailable.

B. Envelopes more than 9 inches in width (height) or 12 inches in length are not recommended.

C. Envelopes having shapes other than rectangular are nonmailable.

D. Envelopes having a ratio of width (height) to length of less than 1 to 1.414 (1 to the square root of 2) are not recommended.

This advance notice will give you an opportunity to exhaust an inventory currently on hand that will not meet the new specifications.

Consequently, when you reorder a supply, you can do so within regulations.

Hollywood

Mr. and Mrs. George Moore and Mr. and Mrs. Everette Carwile of Hat Creek visited Mrs. R. S. Franklin and family Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Lila Brandon, mother of Mrs. J. C. Jenning is ill in the University Hospital in Richmond ,we wish for her a speedy recovery.

Mrs .and Mrs. Julian Jenkins of Lynchburg, and Mrs. D. M. Inge and Miss Nell Inge of Brookneal spent Friday afternoon with Mrs. A. B. Abbitt and Mrs. Addie Jenkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Author Guthrie of Richmond spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Watson.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Franklin and Mrs. Sam McFall and sons are spending the week with Mrs. R. S. Franklin and Dillard.

Our neighborhood was saddened Monday a .m. when we learned of the death of Mrs. C. E. Lewis. Her family and host of friends will miss her. Her Church, to which she was always so faithful will miss her. We wish to extend sympathy to her loved ones.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Almond, Hazel and Brenda called in the C. J. Baghy home Sunday p. m.

Rev. W. H. Elder preached another of his good sermons at Holly Wood Sunday

Miss Dorothey Lee Beasley and Claude Hamlett of Lynchburg visited Miss Beasleys parents Mr. and Mrs. Grover Beasley Saturday.

Mr. Walker Webb spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Covington.

Mrs. R. G. Austin has been real sick for several days. We hope she may soon be well.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wingfield and daughters and Wayne McCauley of Lynchburg were supper guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Baghy Saturday night. Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Goin and daughter of Salem called in this same home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Beasley Jr. and Tye visited Mr. and Mrs. Grover Beasley Sr. Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Watson Jr. of Alexandre, Virginia spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Watson Sr.

Mrs J. H. O'Brien, Mrs Robert Coleman, Mrs. L. E. Conner, Mrs. Louis Bryant and Brenda, Mr. Gus Torrence and Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Covington called in the home of Mrs. A. B. Abbitt and Mrs. Addie Jenkins last week.

Mrs D. L. Smith visited her sister Mrs. Winnie Drinkard Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Raymond Franklin and Mrs. Sam McFall called in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Watson Saturday. Mrs. Watson is not well at this writing we hope for her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Webb visited Mrs. Edgar Martin Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Carter and son and Mrs. David Franklin were luncheon guest of Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Smith Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Baghy called in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Covington and Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Banton last week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Scruggs visited Mrs. A. B. Abbitt and Mrs. Addie Jinkins Saturday night.

Mr. L. H. Watson went to Chicago Tuesday on a business trip.

Re-Elected

At a recent meeting of the school Trustee Electorial Board of Appomattox County, T. DeWit Evans was reelected as a member of the board for a 4-year term, beginning July 1,. Mr. Evans succeeded the late B. G. Anderson as a member of the board and has been its chairman for the past eight years.

Slight Drop In Apple Crop

A drop of about 1/2 million bushels from last year's apple crop is likely this year in Virginia.

Robert P. Jenkins, assistant horticulturist at Virginia Polytechnic Institute, says Virginia growers are well along with their spray program, trying to bring in a good crop of fruit. They anticipate a harvest of around 20,000,000 bushels.

Hail has caused some damage in various areas, and some varieties, particularly Winesap ,have set light. Fire blight has caused a drop in production in many areas. The important Rappahannock county area is reported to be especially light, with only two or three good crops in the county. Scab also has been a problem in some areas.

Nationally, the apple crop is estimated at 121,954,000 bushels, compared with 121,510,000 bushels last year, but western production will be up, particularly in the state of Washington. The Appalachian Apply Service feels that the distribution of this year's crop will encourge orderly, stable marketing.

Apples for processing usually constitute a very small part of production in western states, and thus one increase there will have little effect on the processing market. In the east and midwest, production is down, so processors likely will have fewer apples available. However, this situation could be reversed in Virginia if hail or scab has been severe enough to route apples normally sold fresh to the processor. In the important Appalachian area the crop may be off about 3,459,000 bushels, which means a considerable reduction in processing apples. The Appalachian area is now the nation's largest apple processing center. New York's crop is down 5,000,000 bushels from last year and Michigan's crop is down over 2,000,000 bushels.

The National Canner's Association reports that warehouse stocks of applesauce in early June were over 1,155,000 cases less than one year ago at the same time, in spite of a 7 percent largest pack to sell this year. So Jenkins says it seems reasonable, if the export market is as good as it was last year, to expect slightly higher apple prices. However, the export market is not likely to remain as accessible as it has been in the past and prices probably will be little improved.

STILL HOUSE

R. H. Matthiessen Sr. and Jr. owners of Still House Hollow Far... Hume, Virginia, recently announced that their farm will hold its annual field day Saturday, August 11th. All people interested in Hereford cattle are invited to attend this big event featuring demonstration and talks by leading Hereford breeders across America.

The program begins at 9:30 a. m. E. D. T., with registration by the Matthiessen's lake and will be followed by a tour of the farms cow herd. On display through out the day with various groups of Still House cattle including cow herd, replacement cattle, herd bulls, show string and cattle being readied for their production sale on December 8. A special attraction will include a display of Quarter Horses from North Wales Farm, Warrenton.

Details of the program will be released later on these event sponsored jointly with the Virginia Hereford Association, Staunton.

The Virginia Hereford Association with Still House Hollow Farm as hosts will hold a President's and Secretarie's clinic on Friday, August 10th. Presidents and Secretaries of every major Herefford Association in the East have been invited to attend and participate in this clinic. Various aspects of running a hard hitting state association will be discussed. Prominent Hereford leaders from several states will lead discussion.

Hixburg

Out-of-a clear sky, on Monday July 2, down came an army helicopter in Mac Coleman's hay field.

Nine helicopter from Fort Bragg were en route to Harrisonburg for training. When the copter was missed one came back to see what was the matter.

Pfc. John Glascock of Ala. was left to guard the pplane. Rain continued, and the engine wast not fixed.

On Saturday, July 7, two men came to repair the copter and John Glascock left. The copter is still there at this writing.

Pvt. Lester Goin of Ft. Dix, N.J. spent the weekend with his parents Mr. and Mrs. DeWitt Goin. Pvt. Goin will be sent some where in Europe this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Harris and two daughters of Baltimore were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. DeWitt Goin.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin East of Hurt, Va., visited Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Glover Jr. duringg the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Irving accompanied by her brother-in-law, Mr. A. L. Crews, motored to Hopewell and spent Sunday with Mr. Crews' son and family.

On Sunday night, Henry Earl Covington returned from Myrtle Beach, S. C. where he had spent his week's vacation.

Mr. J. S. Hix, of Thomasville, N.C. is expected in the home of Miss Maggie Hix on Tuesday and Wednesday night, July 17 and 18.

Thursday over night guests of Mrs. Flossie Hix Erwin were her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Houck and Bobby, Mount Ulla, N. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Rob Martin, Luella, Eloise Rosser and Mrs. Jennie Young had a pleasant day with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rucker at Elon, Va., on Sunday.

Sharon Rosser, of Lynchburg, is spending this week with Patricia Covington.

Monday morning Mrs. William Hix not only loaded her car with children and headed for the Bible School at Elon Baptist Church at Pamplin, but she stayed to teach a class.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Carson and Sandra Long attended the preaching services at Walker's Presbyterian Church at Hixburg on Sunday.

Sandra was guest organist and the soft, worshipful music added to the communion service.

Thomas Is Award Winner

Mr. Charles Thomas, of Grinels Motor Company, was one of the five parts sales managers in the Lynchburg area to receive the first annual Golden Circle Award by the Ford Division of the Ford Motor Company.

The award, a certificate of qualification for the honor and a coat lapel gold pin, is based on outstandding accomplishments in carrying out managerial responsibilities such as parts sales, parts purchase control, sales promotion and advertising and customer satisfaction.

County Line

Revival is in progress at Central Baptist Church this week. Rev. Elton McDowell of Falling River is doing the preaching.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Reynolds and family of Spout Springs visited Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Nash Sunday

Miss Yvonne Nash spent last week at Holiday Lake attending 4-H Club Camp.

Twyman Nash spent last week with Randy Guill of Lynchburg.

Miss Sue Tucker spepnt Sunday with Miss Brenda Nash.

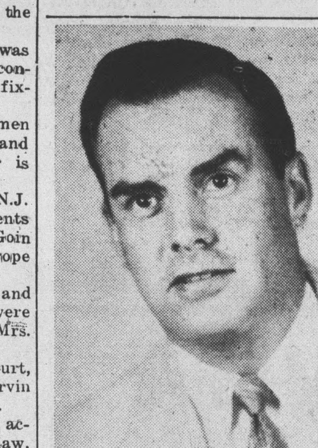
Bobby Waddell of Rustburg is spending this week with Twyman Nash.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Nash and family sppent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Guill of Appomattox.

Mrs. Shirley Kerr and Children and Mrs. Bob Carroll of Appomattox were dinner guest Monday of Mrs. Elliott Nash an family.

Mrs. Elliott Nash, Mrs Nelson Mann and Linda Nash visited Mrs. Maury Howard of Mike, Friday afternoon.

One in Seven Locally On Public Payrolls



Rev. Hubert R. Hunting
Spout Spring Baptist Church

Thomas A. Waddill, Pastor

10:00 A. M. Sunday School
11:00 A. M. Worship Service
7:00 P. M. Training Union
8:00 P. M. Revival

Revival will begin Sunday morning July 15, and continue each evening of the week at 8:00 P. M. Guest Speaker will be Rev. Hubert R. Hunting, pastor of First Baptist Church, Athens, Ohio.

Hunting was born in Quebec, Canada, but moved to Asheville, N. C. at age 14, where he became a U. S. citizen and served as a Marine in World War II.

Rev. Hunting was ordained in 1950 and has held pastorates in North Carolina Tennessee, Alabama. He is married to the former Miss Elizabeth Ann Howell of Asheville and they have three children. Everyone is invited to come and hear this preacher of the Gospel!

NEW YORK, July 9 — How many Appomattox County residents are holding down government jobs? How does the number compare, in proportion to population, with the total so employed in the other areas?

Figures recently released show that relatively more local people are in public jobs—Federal, State and local—than in most parts of the United States.

Out of every 7 employed people locally, one works in some capacity for a branch of government.

The occupational data is revealed by the Department of Commerce in a report on the social and economic characteristics of the population, based on information collected during the 1960 census.

The figures for Appomattox County indicate that 13.5 percent of the working force are public employees, compared with an average of 13.0 percent in the United States and 13.1 percent in the South Atlantic States.

According to actual count, a total of 375 locally are on government payrolls, 232 of them men and 143 of them women. This is exclusive of those employed in agricultural administration and control.

The Census Bureau's reports show that the number of people in public employment in the United States has been growing by leaps and bounds in the last ten years or so. It has increased nearly 50 percent, which is much faster than private employment has been rising.

More than nine million civilians are so engaged, as against a little over six million in 1950.

About 2.5 million of them work for the Federal government and the other 6.5 million for State and local governments. More than a million of the latter, however, are part-timers, such as volunteer firemen and nominally-paid officials.

On the average, throughout the country, there are 46 Federal, State and local employees for every 1,000 people, with the ratio varying widely from section to section.

In the State of Virginia, it is 46 per 1,000 residents.

As to the earnings of public employees, they are at the rate of $43 billion a year, which is nine percent more than they totalel a year ago.

Leaf Meeting

A mass meeting of Dark-fire cured tobacco growers will be held Saturday morning, July 14, at 10:30 a. m. at the Appomattox Court House for the purpose of nominating candidates for director from this district.

At this meeting, Judges for the election will be appointed and a county Chairman will be elected.

Representing Appomattox County at this time is Clarence Moore, Chairman, and C. T. Moses Sr.,, Director.

Fire-cured growers are urged to attend this meeting.

HOME DEMONSTRATION

Spout Spring Club will meet at the school Tuesday, July 17 at 1:15 p.m. Miss Margaret Moon, hostess.

Wreck Island Club will meet Wednesday, July 18 at 2 p. m. with Mrs. G. P. Jennings.

Pamplin Club will meet Thursday, July 19 at 2 p. m. with Mrs Frances Lucado.

Richwood

Richwood July 7 - Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lee Hamlett and daughter visited Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Martin Sunday.

Horace L. Martin spent the weekend with his wife and family here.

Mr. Jassie A. Blazer is a patient in Virginia Baptist Hospital.

Phillip and Helen Snow spent the week-end with Mrs. E. P. Snow.

Miss Emma Pugh visited Mrs. Ruth Cordell Saturday and Sunday.

Brenda Pugh has returned home after visiting her sister, Mrs. Jimmie Fleshman.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Glover and daughters visited Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Martin one night last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Martin and daughter visited Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Cobbs in Lynchburg Sunday.

Notice: We regret that several news letters are being left out but same will be carried next week.

Adoula offers ministrial post to Tshombe's party.

Command problem blurs offer of Polaris to NATO.

U. N. agrees to act on African areas.

DEATH

MRS. CHARLES E. LEWIS

APPOMATTOX — Mrs. Viola Moss Lewis, 84, wife of the late Charles Edward Lewis, died early Monday at an Appomattox rest home. She had been in declining health for the past four years.

Born in Appomattox Country, she was the daughter of the late Richard Toler and Mary Virginia Scruggs Moss.

She is survived by one son, Charles D. Lewis Rt. 4 Appomtatox three sisters, Miss Mattie Moss and Mrs. Daisy Saunders, both of Richmond, and Mrs. Belle Harvey of Appomattox; a brother, Mr. John Moss of Gladstone, Virginia three grandchildren; and seven great grandchildren .

The Furnal Service was held Wednesday at 11 a. m. at Robinson Funeral Home in Appomattox with burial in the family cemetery in Appomattox County. The funeral wast conducted by Rev. Winfred Elder, Rev. Keith Whitehead, and Rev. John P. Leithner. The active pall bearers Clark Lewis, Dan Lewis, Harold Stratton, William Sanders, James Harvey, James Lewis, Alvis Lewis, Lloyd Smith.

Birthdays

Dennis Franklin, July 17
Penny Patterson, July 14
Larry Franklin, July 5